

Facts at a Glance

Branford Transfer Station / Recycling Center / Compost Site

Hours:

Monday through Friday 7:15 A.M. – 1:30 P.M.

Saturdays 7:15 A.M. – 2:30 P.M.



Open to public, as above, but residents should use Saturdays whenever possible, or might have to wait for trucks. **Plan to arrive at least ½ an hour before closing** to be done and out when the gates are shut at 1:30/2:30. No commercial loads Saturdays.

Location:

747 East Main Street — 8/10ths of a mile past Leetes Island Road on Route 1.
The phone number is **483-8641**

Paperwork and Fees:



Paperwork and money transactions are done in advance at the Town Clerk's Office/ 1019 Main Street/P.O. Box 150/Branford, CT 06405; 203-488-6305. Open Monday – Friday, 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. Make checks payable to “Branford Town Clerk” and include your customer I.D. number on the check.

Prices:



- **Residents** with permit (see back of page):
\$0 if material is from your own house and you didn't pay anybody to do the work.
- **Commercial, including small businesses and landlords:**
- Garbage – **\$91 /ton** garbage and recyclables mixed – **\$135/ton [don't mix!]**
- corrugated cardboard – **\$0/ton**, limit of ¼ ton loose, or 1 ton cut and stacked
- tires – **\$120/ton.**
- computers, TVs electronics with circuit boards or CRTs – **\$390/ton, \$10 min.**
- scrap metal – **\$25/ton**
- refrigerant-bearing appliances (e.g. refrigerators, air conditioners, dehumidifiers)
\$10 surcharge/appliance in addition to scrap metal charge
- fluorescent bulbs\$ – **10/box**; 10 bulbs or fewer for **\$5**
- demolition debris- **\$91/ton**, no trucks of 1 ton or more, or loads over 1 ton
- leaves – **\$25/ton**
- brush/yard waste <10 inch diameter – **\$65/ton**, small quantities only
- unchippable wood – **\$91/ton** or not accepted, small quantities only
- wood chips **\$0/ton** if we can use them
- bottles, cans, newspaper, magazines, office paper, phone books – **\$0/ton**
- **\$5 minimum** on most chargeable items (**\$10 min. on electronics or mixed materials**)



Permits:

Residents

- ◆ for a **residence sticker** (or card if seasonal) bring the following to the **Tax office**:
 - ✓ your drivers license (showing residency in Branford)
 - ✓ your car registration (showing non-commercial Branford registration)
 - ✓ lease or utility bill if new resident
 - ✓ \$5 per sticker, \$2.50 for each card
- ◆ for a **trip pass** (good for one trip within 30 days of purchase), bring the following to the **Town Clerk's Office**:
 - ✓ your drivers license
 - ✓ marker number of the vehicle you are borrowing/using
 - ✓ building permit number if taking construction/demolition material
 - ✓ \$1 for each trip you plan to make. Limits may apply



Incidental Commercial Users

- ◆ Must register* and get truck stickers



Commercial solid waste haulers

- ◆ Must register*, post bond, and get truck stickers

What goes where?



- ◆ **We don't take** hazardous waste:
 - ✓ Take propane tanks to Leetes Island Fuel (was Berkshire Petroleum) exit 56, \$3 fee;
 - ✓ Take car batteries to any place in the state that sells them;
 - ✓ Call for information on asbestos;
 - ✓ Take other household hazardous waste to HazWaste Central. *
- ◆ **We don't take** demolition debris or land clearing debris or land clearing debris in large quantities – one ton limit per project; we don't take stumps/large tree sections: ask for flyer for locations*
- ◆ Grass clippings must stay on your lawn or compost pile, we can't take per state law*
- ◆ Transfer Station, recycling center & compost site takes almost everything else (see below)

Please keep categories separate:

- ◆ Garbage and rubbish – includes everything burnable not listed elsewhere, including furniture and plastics
- ◆ Glass bottles, metal food cans, aluminum foil, cloudy plastic milk jugs and juice cartons*
- ◆ Newspaper, glossy magazines, & glossy catalogs – may be bundled in a paper bag
- ◆ Corrugated cardboard no shoebox type – clean & flattened, brown paper bags OK
- ◆ Office paper – ask for list of acceptable items
- ◆ Unburnable demolition + lumber & roofing – e.g. wallboard, tile; not cardboard, not any kind of plastic, not paint cans, **1 ton limit per project**, 4 ft maximum length.
- ◆ Scrap metal – large & small; includes clean paint cans
- ◆ Appliances with Freon – don't cut the lines, we'll have the Freon drained and recycled
- ◆ Tires – 4 tire limit, no large equipment/truck tires
- ◆ Brush & chippable yard waste – 10 inch diameter or smaller, **1 ton limit per project**
- ◆ Leaves – without branches or other yard waste.* **No grass clippings! ***
- ◆ Used motor oil – not mixed with other fluids, 5 gallon limit
- ◆ Fluorescent bulbs – put back in original box, never tape together
- ◆ Computers, TVs/consumer electronics – with circuit boards or CRTs

**For more information visit our website @ www.branford-ct.gov or
write: Peg Hall / Solid Waste Manager / P.O. Box 150 / Branford, CT 06405**